

A.—SRI K. MALLAPPA (Minister for Industries and Commerce).—

No such proposal is under consideration.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

SRI B. D. JATTI (Minister for Finance).—I beg to lay the Supplement to Detailed Estimates of Public Works and Irrigation for 1964-65 as promised during the Budget discussion.

Message from the Legislative Council

MR. SPEAKER.—A message has been received from the Chairman, Legislative Council, that the following Bills as passed by the Legislative Assembly during the current session have been passed by the Legislative Council without any change:

1. The Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Bill, 1964.
2. The Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporations (Mysore Amendment) Bill, 1964.
3. The City of Bangalore Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 1964.

Leave of Absence

MR. SPEAKER.—I have received a letter from Sri V. Nagappa, a Member of this House requesting leave of absence from attending all the current sittings of the Assembly due to his ill-health.

Is it the pleasure of the House to grant Sri V. Nagappa leave of absence from the current sittings of the House?

MEMBERS.—Yes.

MR. SPEAKER.—Leave to remain absent is granted to him.

Statistical information re: Business transacted by the House during the current session.

MR. SPEAKER.—I should like to give a brief statistical account of the work transacted by this House during the current session. I do not want to detain the members after the close of the Business today

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LEGISLATIVE :

1. Number of Bills introduced : 14
2. Number of Bills passed : 13 (inclusive of one Bill received from the Legislative Council and one Bill received from the Joint Select Committee).
3. Number of Bills referred to Joint Select Committee : 2

FINANCIAL

The House discussed for two days the demands for £ and additional Grants for 1964-65 (1st Instalment) and on 9th July. The House also voted the demands for grants to cover expenditure incurred in excess of voted grants during 1959-60.

The House discussed for 2 days the Reports of the Public Accounts Committee for 1959-60 and 1960-61.

The House discussed for 3 days the Reports of the Mysore Public Service Commission for 1961-62 and 1962-63.

An official Resolution relating to Mysore State Electricity Board was discussed and passed.

The Scarcity conditions existing in certain areas of the State and the rise in prices of food grains was discussed for 3 days.

The House discussed for two days the White Paper on the Sharavathy Valley Project.

	Budget Session, 1964, from 27th Feb. 1964 to 3rd April, 1964.	Adjourned Meet- ings from 15-6-64 to 15-7-1964	Total
	1	2	3

Starred Questions

Number of Questions admitted and sent to Government.	563	250	813
Number of Questions for which replies have been received	513	79	59
Number of Questions for which replies are due	50	171	221
Number of Questions answered on the Floor of the House	264	321	585

(249 replies pertain to Budget Session, 1964)

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<i>Unstarred Questions</i>			
Number of Questions admitted and sent to Government ...	107	95	202
Number of Questions for which replies have been received ...	89	34	123
Number of Questions for which replies are due ...	18	61	79
Number of Questions for which replies laid on the table of the House. ...	36	87	123

(53 replies pertains to Budget Session, 1964).

<i>Short Notice Questions</i>			
Number of Question Tabled ...	19	34	53
Number of Questions admitted	6	11	17
Number of Questions answered	4	9	9

<i>Half-an-Hour Discussion</i>			
Number given notice of	6	4	10
Number admitted	1	1	2
Number disposed of.	1	Nil	1

<i>Adjournment Motion</i>			
Number given notices of.	5	5	10
Number admitted	Nil	Nil	Nil

<i>Motions under Rule 59:</i>			
Number received.	3	1	4
Number admitted	Nil	Nil	Nil

<i>Calling attention Notices (Under Rule 63)</i>			
Number Tabled	18	11	29
Number Admitted	10	7	17
Number disposed of	10	5	15

<i>Motions under Rule 147</i>			
Number Tabled	1	1	1
Number Admitted	Nil	Nil	Nil

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<i>Resolutions</i>			
Number Tabled ...	71	3	74
No. of Resolutions admitted and sent to Govt. ...	71	3	74
Number of Resolutions moved, discussed and withdrawn ...	1	Nil	1
Resolution moved and discussion inconclusive ...	Nil	1	1
(Pertains to Budget Session, 1964)			

Mr. SPEAKER.—I am requesting Government to do something particularly with regard to Questions. There are a very large number of questions which are not yet answered. They are about 200 and odd in number. Of course, today nothing can be done as this is the last day of this Session. Perhaps, when we meet next a little more attention could be bestowed on it.

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—The number of Questions that are being sent to Government has considerably increased. I will see that they are taken up. In fact, we are increasing the tempo of sending Replies to the questions received from the Legislature secretariat.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The receipt of Replies is now satisfactory. But some of these are very old Questions.

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—It will be more satisfactory next time.

Sri K. LAKKAPPA (Hebbur).—May I know from the Chief Minister the steps taken by Government so far in the scarcity areas of Tumkur District?

Mr. SPEAKER.—We are not going to discuss here the implementation of the measures.

Sri K. LAKKAPPA.—There is no remedy open to us except to bring this to the notice of the Chief Minister.

Mr. SPEAKER.—He has drawn the attention of Government and there it must be left particularly as today is the last day.

We have to give 4 hours 46 minutes more for this debate. We will sit up to one o'clock and not rise earlier. So the entire day will be devoted for this debate. There will be no tea break.